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SUBJECT: DEPARTURE OF CHARGE DAVID M. RANSOM

1. BY NOW YOU ARE AWARE OF SUDDEN MEDICAL EVACUATION OF DAVID WITH MARJORIE AS ESCORT. I HAVE SOUNDED OUT THE COUNTRY TEAM REGARDING THE GENERAL POLITICAL SITUATION IN YEMEN.

2. ALL OF US STRONGLY FEEL THAT THERE IS NOTHING PRESSING IN YEMEN TO REQUIRE YOUR IMMEDIATE REUTRN. AS DAVID AND I DROVE TO HE AIRPORT HE STRESSED THE LACK OF POLITICAL ACTIVITY IN THE FACE OF RAMADAN STARTING ON OR ABOUT AUGUST 26. RUIZ FULLY AGREES WITH DAVID'S ASSESSMENT OF CURRENT SITUATION. AS RUIZ STATED, ALL IS QUIET IN THE "ROCK FRONT".

3. NEITHER I, RUIZ, OR THE OTHER COUNTRY TEAM MEMBERS FEEL THAT YOU SHOULD CHANGE TRAVEL PLANS. HOWEVER, IF SITUATION CHANGES YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED.

4. WE HOPE YOU ARE ENJOYING YOURSELF AND LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR RETURN. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.

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